

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

First
Named
Inventor: Jian-Ku Shang

Serial No.: 10/797,582

Examiner: Jill M. Gray

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Group Art Unit: 1794

Title: HIGH SURFACE AREA
CERAMIC COATED FIBERS

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

M.S. – Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

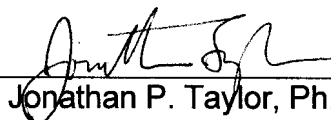
This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated September 27, 2007 for a period of three month(s).

Please charge the \$525.00 fee to our American Express card. An electronic Credit Card Payment is included herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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